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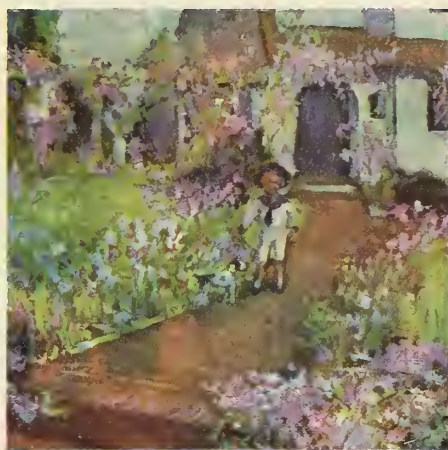
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HICKS NURSERIES

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Foreword

SINCE 1853, when this nursery was founded, the name Hicks has meant a real service to plant lovers. Hicks' inventions have made it possible to move very large trees and many trees not considered possible to move. We have done the long waiting, and when you buy a Hicks tree, you buy not only shade but time. Our time-saving nursery grown trees and large tree moving have made it possible to furnish a landscape fifteen to fifty years old in one year's planting. We try to keep up with the worth-while new plants and if you are interested in something different see our list of rare and unusual plants page 17.

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GUARANTEE—We guarantee every tree and plant from the nursery to grow satisfactorily, or replace free. Transportation and planting of replaced stock is borne by the purchaser

TERMS—Prices are for stock loaded at the nursery. Estimates furnished on delivery and planting or freight or express. Packing free, except for stock of unusual size

HICKS NURSERIES

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WESTBURY, LONG ISLAND



Large Maples planted below the formal garden of Mrs. Robert Bacon, Westbury, L. I. Coolest shade is under these trees. Cedar on right

DECIDUOUS TREES



Color photograph taken in the Hicks Nurseries; in the foreground Scarlet Oak, in the background Norway Maple, changing color in the autumn. There are miles of roads like this

YOU will not find that we are strong on Poplars, Silver Maples and Willows. Rather, we believe in more permanent trees, such as Oaks, Maples and Lindens. If you have a spot especially adapted for Willows and Poplars, all well and good, we will get them for you, but we will not sell you Poplars where you ought to have Oaks. You have not time to grow thirty-year-old Maples, and you would not want to begin now and grow one for

\$300.00. When you buy Hicks large trees you are buying just so many year's time and labor that we have put into them. After growing them so long we know they will give you satisfaction, so we guarantee them. You may want to start with a small tree such as the Maiden Hair, Pin Oak or Elm. If you are especially interested in small trees do not let our list of larger sizes scare you away. Write to us and let us give you a more detailed list.

Acer platanoides, NORWAY MAPLE

4- 5 in. diameter	18-20 ft. high	\$45.00 each
8-10 in. "	24-30 ft. "	150.00 "
10-12 in. "	26-32 ft. "	250.00 "
12-14 in. "	28-35 ft. "	300.00 "

Acer saccharum, SUGAR MAPLE

5 in. diameter	22-26 ft. high	\$75.00 each
6- 7 in. "	24-28 ft. "	95.00 "
8-10 in. "	28-32 ft. "	150.00 "

Carpinus betulus, EUROPEAN HORNBEAM

6- 8 ft. high	\$15.00 each
14-18 ft. "	60.00 "
18-20 ft. "	100.00 "
20-25 ft. "	150.00 "

Cornus alternifolia, PAGODA DOGWOOD

5-7 ft. high	\$3.50 each
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Oaks often make two growths each season. Lower part of this branch grew in June, the upper part in July and August. Maples do not grow any faster

Cornus florida, **FLOWERING DOGWOOD**

3-4 ft. high \$3.00 each
5 ft. " 4.00 "

Cornus kousa, **KOUSA or JAPANESE DOGWOOD**

3-4 ft. high \$5.00 each
5-7 ft. " 10.00 "

Fagus americana, **AMERICAN BEECH**

3- 5 ft. high \$5.00 each
5- 7 ft. " 12.00 "
14-15 ft. " 75.00 "

Fagus sylvatica, **EUROPEAN BEECH**

8-10 ft. high \$25.00 each
10-12 ft. " 35.00 "
14-16 ft. " 75.00 "
16-18 ft. " 90.00 "

Fagus sylvatica purpurea, **COPPER BEECH**

8-10 ft. high \$40.00 each
10-14 ft. " 65.00 "

Ginkgo biloba, **MAIDENHAIR TREE**

4- 6 ft. high \$6.00 each
8-10 ft. " 15.00 "
12-14 ft. " 30.00 "

Larix leptolepis, **JAPANESE LARCH**

4-6 ft. high \$5.00 each

Liquidambar styraciflua, **SWEET GUM**

5-7 in. diameter 18-20 ft. high \$75.00 each
6-8 in. " 20-24 ft. " 100.00 "

Liriodendron tulipifera, **TULIP TREE**

2½-3½ in. diameter 12-14 ft. high \$25.00 each
4 -5 in. " 14-18 ft. " 45.00 "
5 -6 in. " 18-20 ft. " 75.00 "

Malus niedzwetzkyana, **JAPANESE FLOWERING CRAB**

3-5 ft. high \$3.00 each

Malus, **named varieties, FLOWERING CRABS**

2-3 ft. high \$1.25 each
3-4 ft. " 2.00 "
4-5 ft. " 3.50 "

Nyssa sylvatica, **TUPELO**

2-3 ft. high \$3.00 each
4-5 ft. " 6.00 "
5-6 ft. " 10.00 "

Oxydendrum arboreum, **SOURWOOD**

2-3 ft. high \$3.00 each

Prunus serrulata fl. pl., **JAPANESE DOUBLE FLOWERING CHERRY**

4-5 ft. high \$5.00 each

Ptelea trifoliata, **COMMON HOP TREE**

6-8 ft. high \$3.00 each

Quercus alba, **WHITE OAK**

3-4 in. diameter 14-20 ft. high \$35.00 each
5-6 in. " 18-22 ft. " 75.00 "

Quercus coccinea, **SCARLET OAK**

2½-3 in. diameter 14-16 ft. high \$18.00 each
3 -4 in. " 14-20 ft. " 35.00 "
4 -5 in. diameter 16-22 ft. " 45.00 "



This rose garden was planted in August. Summer planting is practical and economical. E. G. Davis, Landscape Architect



Norway Maples like this thirty years old can be taken from our nursery almost every day in the year, even in full leaf



Moving large Maple in full leaf in summer. You need not go without shade

***Quercus imbricaria*, SHINGLE OAK**

4 in. diameter	\$50.00 each
5 in. " "	75.00 "

***Quercus palustris*, PIN OAK**

2-2½ in. diameter	10-12 ft. high	\$9.00 each
4-5 in. " "	14-20 ft. " "	50.00 "
6-7 in. " "	26-28 ft. " "	75.00 "
8 in. " "	22-32 ft. " "	150.00 "
9 in. " "	24-34 ft. " "	175.00 "
10-12 in. " "	28-36 ft. " "	250.00 "

***Quercus prinus*, CHESTNUT OAK**

2½-3 in. diameter	14-16 ft. high	\$18.00 each
5-7 in. " "	20-30 ft. " "	75.00 "

***Quercus rubra*, COMMON RED OAK**

1½-2½ in. diameter	10-12 ft. high	\$12.00 each
4-5 in. " "	14-20 ft. " "	50.00 "

***Tilia cordata*, LITTLE LEAF EUROPEAN LINDEN**

2-3 in. diameter	10 ft. high	\$8.00 each
3-4 in. " "	12-14 ft. " "	30.00 "
4-5 in. " "	14-18 ft. " "	75.00 "

***Tilia tomentosa*, SILVER LINDEN**

5-6 in. diameter	18-22 ft. high	\$50.00 each
7 in. " "	22-26 ft. " "	100.00 "
8-10 in. " "	24-30 ft. " "	150.00 "
10-12 in. " "	26-30 ft. " "	250.00 "

***Ulmus americana*, AMERICAN ELM**

1½-2½ in. diameter	8-10 ft. high	\$8.00 each
5-6 in. " "	18-22 ft. high	50.00 "

In addition to the tall shade-giving trees, there are many smaller growing types such as the Flowering Dogwood, Japanese Dogwood, Flowering Crab Apple, Sour Wood and Japanese Cherries that are very attractive. Beeches were thought hard to move. We handle them with earth-balls like evergreens, and they move as readily as any other tree. If you want shade trees branched low, come and see our European Beech. Set them far back from the roadway



The Sweet Gum and the Tupelo are two of the handsomest trees for fall color, and yet are very little planted. Both were hard to move before we found that they needed root pruning and digging with the ball

for they have a tendency to keep their branches to the ground, which many people desire. The Silver Linden and Pin Oaks, for instance, are high branched and can be set close to the roadway for overhead shade.

Not so long ago plants were considered luxuries and our business a luxury business; today all homes must have some ornamental planting. One real estate company sets aside a planting allowance for each house in its development. The house that is planted is easily sold and at a greater price than the raw, unfinished place.

Come and pick out your own trees or tell us what you want and we will deliver and plant it for you, and tell you how to take care of it afterwards.

You need not be without shade in the summer, because we can plant almost any day.



This shows a summer-planted tree that will give greater growth

This size could be furnished in Norway Maples, Pin Oaks, Tulip Trees and Lindens. Saves years of waiting



A boundary planting and screen composed of evergreens, shade trees and flowering shrubs. The evergreens work all the year round, and the shrubs and shade trees give the bright colors in the summer



Planting of evergreens from Hicks Nurseries, at Meadow Springs, Glen Cove, L. I. The owner said, "I don't want the headlights of automobiles shining in my windows." From the Hicks Nurseries he planted large Spruce, Pine, Japanese Cypress with a contrast of White Birch and underplanting of Laurel and Rhododendron

HICKS EVERGREENS HAVE MANY AND VARIED USES



Above —
Japanese
Yew to cover a
retaining wall,
Woodbury,
L. I.

At right —
Evergreens
planted to
screen an ad-
joining house,
Great Neck,
L. I.



Above —
Foundation
planting at
Hewlett,
L. I.

At left — To
frame an
inviting en-
trance at
Pt. Wash-
ington



Seashore planting at South Hampton, L. I. We have grown the plants most suited for exposed places

EVERGREENS



Foundation planting at Plandome, L. I. Pfitzer Juniper, Rhododendron, Japanese Cypress. It's lots of fun to do over the foundation planting. Bring a sketch, photograph or ask a salesman to call

EVERGREENS work the year around. They add a cheerful green to the winter landscape. If you want to screen any objectionable view, or have a windbreak for your rock garden, Evergreens will do it. Evergreens should be planted in groups to give mutual protection to each other. The old saying, "Plant thick and thin quick," is the best rule to follow.

For seventy years we have experimented with Evergreens to find those best adapted to Long

Island, where the natural landscape is made up of groups of Pitch Pine, Oak, Red Cedar, Birch, Dogwood and Bayberry. We will gladly advise you what to plant to carry out your particular plan in your special location. You can give your new house an old-established look by planting Hicks' time-saving shade and evergreen trees. No matter how small your place is, a few Evergreens well placed will give you privacy and beauty all the year around.

Abies brachyphylla, **NIKKO FIR**

3- 4 ft. high	\$12.00 each
8-10 ft. "	50.00 "

Abies concolor, **WHITE FIR**

3- 4 ft. high	\$8.00 each	\$75.00 ten
4- 5 ft. "	12.00 "	
8-10 ft. "	50.00 "	
10-12 ft. "	75.00 "	

Chamaecyparis (Retinospora) obtusa magnifica, **HINOKI CYPRESS**

1½-2 ft. high	\$4.00 each	\$37.50 ten
2 -2½ ft. "	6.00 "	50.00 "

Chamaecyparis (Retinospora) pisifera plumosa, **PLUME RETINOSPORA**

1½-2 ft. high	\$4.00 each	\$35.00 ten
3 -4 ft. "	10.00 "	90.00 "

Chamaecyparis plumosa, aurea, **GOLDEN PLUME RETINOSPORA**

1½-2 ft. high	\$4.00 each	\$37.50 ten
2 -3 ft. "	6.00 "	

Chamaecyparis squarrosa, **MOSS RETINOSPORA**

1½-2 ft. high	\$4.00 each	\$37.50 ten
3 ft. "	8.00 "	75.00 "

Juniperus communis, **COMMON JUNIPER**

1-1½ ft. high	\$3.00 each	\$27.50 ten
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Juniperus communis hibernica, **IRISH JUNIPER**

1½-2 ft. high	\$3.00 each
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Juniperus pfitzeriana, **PFITZERS JUNIPER**

1 -1½ ft. high	\$3.00 each	\$27.50 ten
1½-2 ft. "	5.00 "	45.00 "

Juniperus rigida, **NEEDLE JUNIPER**

4-5 ft. high	\$12.00 each
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The Scotch White and Austrian Pines, shown in the pictures above, have been several times root pruned and transplanted and guaranteed to grow. They will give you immediate service and work all the year round

Juniperus squamata meyeri, MEYER JUNIPER

1 ft. high	\$3.00 each	\$27.50 ten
1½ ft. "	4.00 "	35.00 "

Pinus banksiana, JACK PINE

2-3 ft. high	\$4.00 each	\$35.00 ten
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Pinus nigra austriaca, AUSTRIAN PINE

18-24 in. high	\$4.00 each	\$35.00 ten
8-10 ft. "	50.00 "	

Pinus parviflora, JAPANESE WHITE PINE

3 ft. high	\$8.00 each
8 ft. "	25.00 "
10-12 ft. "	40.00 "



Church of the Advent, Westbury. Planted by Hicks

Pinus peuce, MACEDONIAN PINE

3-4 ft. high	\$10.00 each
6-7 ft. "	30.00 "

Pinus resinosa, RED PINE

3-4 ft. high	\$6.00 each	\$50.00 ten
8-10 ft. "	40.00 "	
10-12 ft. "	50.00 "	

Pinus strobus, WHITE PINE

3 ft. high	\$4.00 each	\$37.50 ten
6 ft. "	12.50 "	100.00 ten
8 ft. "	20.00 "	180.00 "
10-12 ft. "	40.00 "	
14 ft. "	50.00 "	
16-18 ft. "	100.00 "	
22 ft. "	200.00 "	

Pinus sylvestris, SCOTCH PINE

1½-2 ft. high	\$2.00 each	\$17.50 ten
3-4 ft. "	8.00 "	
5-6 ft. "	12.00 "	
10 ft. "	25.00 "	
12-16 ft. "	50.00 "	



Foundation planting in Great Neck, L. I. The different forms of the Japanese Yew are used here to set off a very handsome doorway



A Hicks planting in Rockville Center. If you ride through this town any time, you cannot miss this place. Foundation is composed of Japanese Yew, Tall Cedars, Rhododendron, and Azalea

Pinus thunbergi, JAPANESE BLACK PINE

1½-2 ft. high \$4.00 each \$35.00 ten

Pseudotsuga douglasii, DOUGLAS SPRUCE

2-3 ft. high \$6.00 each \$55.00 ten

3-4 ft. " 8.00 " 75.00 "

Taxus cuspidata, JAPANESE YEW

2-2½ ft. high \$8.00 each \$75.00 ten

Taxus cuspidata, FLAT FORM

1 -1½ ft. high \$3.50 each \$30.00 ten

1½-2 ft. " 6.00 " 50.00 "

4-5 ft. high by 5-8 ft. spread, prices on application

Taxus cuspidata nana, DWARF JAPANESE YEW

8-10 in. high \$3.50 each \$30.00 ten

1 x 1½ ft. " 5.00 " 45.00 "

Taxus Media Hicksi, HICKS' YEW

1-1½ ft. high \$4.00 each

2 ft. " 5.00 "

Thuja occidentalis, AMERICAN ARBORVITAE

2-3 ft. high \$3.50 each \$30.00 ten

3-4 ft. " 4.00 " 37.50 "



Meyers Juniper. Another Hicks introduction

HICKS' YEW

The Hicks Yew is a handsome upright evergreen. It originated in our nursery and is destined to take the place of the half hardy Irish Yew. Eventually when the stock is more plentiful it will take the place of the uncertain Red Cedar. If you have used short-lived evergreens where you needed the Hicks Yew, you can now secure a permanent formal evergreen

*Thuja occidentalis Boothii*, BOOTH ARBORVITAE

1-1½ ft. high \$2.50 each \$22.50 ten

Thuja occidentalis ericoides, HEATH ARBORVITAE

1-1½ ft. high \$2.50 each

Thuja occidentalis Rosenthali, ROSENTHAL ARBORVITAE

1-1½ ft. high \$3.00 each

Tsuga canadensis, CANADA HEMLOCK

1½-2 ft. high \$3.00 each \$27.50 ten

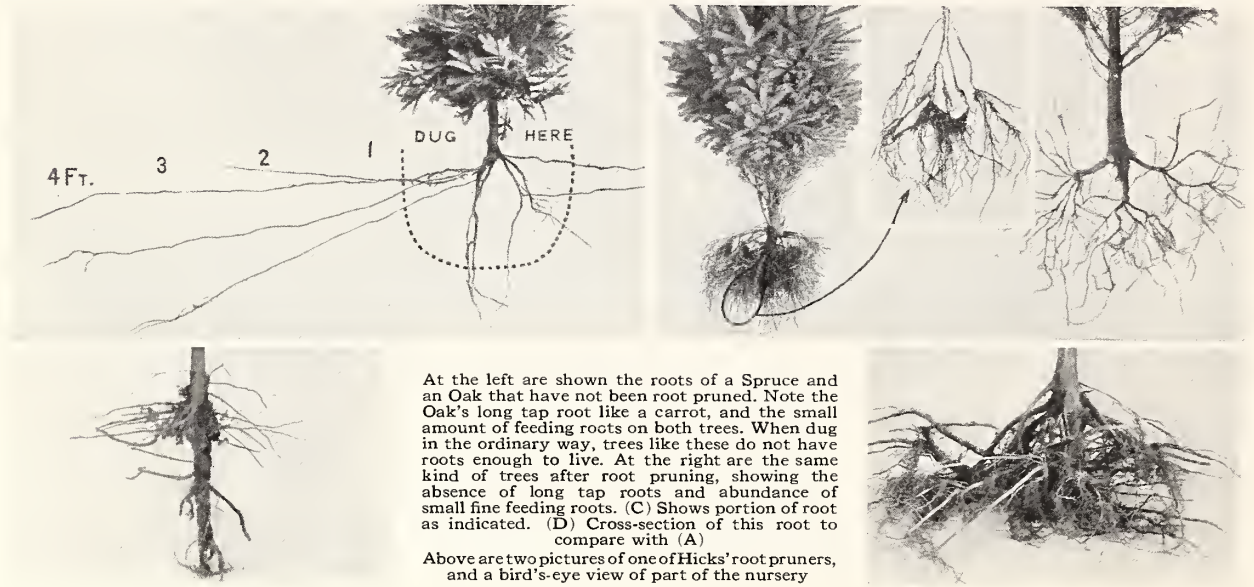
6 -7 ft. " 18.00 " 150.00 "

Tsuga carolinianum, CAROLINA HEMLOCK

1-1½ ft. high \$3.00 each

Start a collection of Evergreens. You will find it as interesting as collecting antiques. There are hundreds of species and varieties and every nursery has a few that the other does not have. There are a good many collections on Long Island, and if you are interested we would be glad to tell you where to go to see them. This catalogue does not begin to list the smaller sizes, and if you will pay us a visit or write us and tell us what you are interested in, we can show you hundreds of little plants selling from \$2.00 up, plenty big enough to start a pinetum.

WHY HICKS TREES ARE WORTH MORE



WHERE HICKS TREES ARE GROWN



WHY HICKS TREES TRAVEL SAFELY



HOW TO PLANT HICKS TREES



The hole should be dug amply large to work in, about $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet of space all around the ball. Then tip the ball and pull out the platform this way. With larger trees pull out the platform by team or tractor

Next straighten the tree and tamp the earth solid under it until it stands vertical. Planting our evergreens is the easiest and surest of all planting operations

The earth is so firmly held by the fitted canvas that the ball of earth is held intact. You will readily see that the tree is like a plant in a pot and suffers no serious surgical shock

Pull out the canvas at the bottom a short space at a time, and tamp in the earth to hold the bottom of the ball. Spread out the side roots in layers and continue filling around the tree, tamping in the earth firmly. Stakes and wires to keep from tipping over are rarely necessary

Mulch with manure. Don't be stingy, and don't veto the mulching because it may look untidy. If you fear it will blow about or look unkempt, you may cover it with a layer of soil

Mulch is the greatest asset of the human race. Plants support mankind, and plants live on the mulch of decaying vegetable matter. Go into an unburned forest and see the decaying leaves, three, six or even ten inches deep



EVERGREEN SHRUBS



Evergreens will give you seclusion and privacy the day after they are planted. With large evergreens you can make a cozy nook on the lawn or screen out objectionable views. A solid planting of evergreens will shut out the dust and noises of the street

THE evergreen shrub or broad-leaved evergreen when in flower gives the necessary touch of color to the foundation planting of evergreens. Nothing is handsomer than our native Laurel, and the acid soil of Long Island just suits Mountain Laurel and rhododendron. If you have not acid soil you can have plants of the heather family if you will provide

the necessary rotted oak leaves. Heathers do best in full sun on a light loam or sandy hillside.

Visit our propagating department and see what we are doing with thousands of small Rhododendrons and Azaleas. We used to import from Holland the fancy varieties of Azalea Mollis, but many of our natives are just as valuable and handsome in flower.

Azalea hinodegiri, **HINODEGIRI AZALEA**

10-12 in. high \$3.00 each \$27.50 ten

Calluna vulgaris, **SCOTCH HEATHER**

8-12 in. high \$.75 each \$6.00 ten \$50.00 hundred

Calluna vulgaris cuprea

6-10 in. high \$.75 each \$6.00 ten \$50.00 hundred

Calluna vulgaris pilosa

6-10 in. high \$.75 each \$6.00 ten \$50.00 hundred

Cotoneaster horizontalis, **ROCK COTONEASTER**

\$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Euonymus radicans vegetus, **BIG LEAVED WINTER CREEPER**

10-12 in. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Ilex crenata, JAPANESE HOLLY

1-2 ft. high \$2.50 each

Ilex glabra, INKBERRY HOLLY

1-1½ ft. high \$1.50 each \$12.50 ten

Ilex opaca, AMERICAN HOLLY

2 ft. high \$4.00 each

3 ft. " 6.00 "

4 ft. " 8.00 "

Kalmia latifolia, MOUNTAIN LAUREL (bushy seedling grown)

1-1½ ft. high \$3.00 each

Leucothoe catesbaei, DROOPING ANDROMEDA

6-12 in. high \$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Mahonia aquifolium, OREGON HOLLY GRAPE

1½-2 ft. high \$3.50 each

Pachistima canbyi, CANBY PACHISTIMA

6-10 in. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten \$40.00 hundred

Pyracantha coccinea, FIRETHORN

1½ ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Rhododendron carolinianum

2 ft. high \$5.00 each

Rhododendron hybrids

2-3 ft. high \$12.00 each

3-3½ ft. " 18.00 "

Teucrium chamaedrys, CHAMAEDRYS GERMANDER

6 in. high \$.30 each \$27.50 ten

Vinca Minor, COMMON PERWINKLE

\$.30 each \$2.50 ten \$20.00 hundred

FLOWERING SHRUBS AND VINES

A BOUNDARY of flowering shrubs gives you more for the money perhaps than any other planting. It will serve as a screen, it will give you a handsome show of flowers for many weeks, provide the birds with food, serve as a boundary between you and your neighbor. Perhaps you remember passing old farm houses that had Cydonia or Firebush and groups of Persian Lilacs or Sweet Syringa. These were well arranged and were the only planting needed. You can have these old plants today and many more that will lengthen the season of bloom.

Acer tartaricum, TATARIAN MAPLE

1½ ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

Aesculus parviflora, BOTTLE BRUSH BUCKEYE

1-2 ft. high \$1.00 each

Amelanchier canadensis, DOWNY SHADBLOW

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$6.00 ten

Amygdalus communis, DOUBLE FLOWERING ALMOND

1½-2 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

2-3 ft. " 1.00 " 9.00 "

Aralia pentaphylla, ARALIA

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

3-4 ft. " 1.00 " 9.00 "

Cornus paniculata, GRAY DOGWOOD

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

" 1.00 " 9.00 "



Mountain Laurel can be planted all summer in any quantity. Reproduced from "The Burgess Flower Book for Children," by permission of the publishers, Little, Brown & Co.

Azalea arborescens, SWEET AZALEA

1-2 ft. high \$1.25 each \$10.00 ten

Azalea kaempferi, TORCH AZALEA

2-3 ft. high \$3.50 each \$30.00 ten

Azalea nudiflora, PIXTER BLOOM

1 ft. high \$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Azalea vaseyi, PINK SHELL AZALEA

1-1½ ft. high \$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Azalea viscosa, SWAMP AZALEA

1 ft. high \$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Deutzia gracilis, SLENDER DEUTZIA

1 ft. each \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Deutzia magnifica

2-3 ft. high \$1.00 each

Deutzia scabra *Pride of Rochester*, PRIDE OF ROCHESTER DEUTZIA

2 ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

3 ft. " .75 " 7.00 "

Eleagnus umbellata, AUTUMN ELEAGNUS

3-4 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

4-5 ft. " 1.00 " 9.00 "

Euonymus alatus, WINGED EUONYMUS

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

3-4 " 1.00 " 9.00 "

Forsythia intermedia, BORDER FORSYTHIA

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Forsythia intermedia spectabilis, SHOWY BORDER FORSYTHIA

3 ft. high \$1.00 each

Forsythia viridissima, GREENSTEM FORSYTHIA

2-3 ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

Hamamelis virginiana, COMMON WITCH-HAZEL

1 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora, PEEGEE HYDRANGEA

1-2 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Ilex verticillata, COMMON WINTERBERRY

1½ ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

Ligustrum ibota, IBOTA PRIVET

1½ ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

3-4 ft. " .75 each 7.00 ten

Ligustrum ovalifolium, CALIFORNIA PRIVET

2-3 ft. high \$.25 each \$2.00 ten \$15.00 hundred

3-4 ft. " .35 " 3.00 " 20.00 "

Lonicera fragrantissima, WINTER HONEYSUCKLE

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Lonicera morrowi, MORROW HONEYSUCKLE

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Lonicera tatarica, TATARIAN HONEYSUCKLE

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Philadelphus coronarius, SWEET MOCKORANGE

2-3 ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

3-4 ft. " .75 " 7.00 "

Photinia villosa, CHRISTMAS BERRY

1½ ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

3-4 ft. " 1.00 " 9.00 "

Rhodotypos kerrioides, JETBEAD

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten



A foundation and bank planting in Port Washington, L. I. This planting called for shade enduring plants. The picture shows how successful we were in using the right plants in the right place

Berberis thunbergii, JAPANESE BARBERRY

1-1½ ft. high \$.35 each \$3.00 ten \$25.00 hundred

Calyanthus floridus, COMMON SWEET SHRUB

1-1½ ft. high \$.50 each

Cornus alba siberica, CORAL DOGWOOD

2 ft. high \$.75 each

Cornus mas, CORNELIAN CHERRY

1½-2 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

Corylus americana, AMERICAN HAZELNUT

1 ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten



A boundary planting of flowering shrubs will give you more for your money in color and usefulness than any other kind of planting. Plant groups of the same kind of shrubs to get a mass effect. You can get from us large shrubs five to six feet high that will save three or four years waiting. Add the fancy flowering varieties and you will have a complete planting at once

***Spiraea Anthony Waterer*, ANTHONY WATERER SPIREA**

1-1½ ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

***Spiraea prunifolia*, BRIDALWREATH**

2 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

***Spiraea thunbergi*, THUNBERG SPIREA**

1-1½ ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

***Spiraea vanhouttei*, VAN HOUTTE SPIREA**

2 ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

3 ft. " .75 " 7.00 "

***Stephanandra flexuosa*, CUTLEAF STEPHANANDRA**

2 ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

***Symplocos paniculata*, ASIATIC SWEETLEAF**

1½-2 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

***Symphoricarpos racemosus*, COMMON SNOWBERRY**

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

***Symphoricarpos vulgaris*, CORALBERRY (Indian Currant)**

2-3 ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

***Vaccinium corymbosum*, Highbush BLUEBERRY**

2-3 ft. high \$1.00 each \$9.00 ten \$75.00 hundred

3-4 ft. " 1.50 " 12.50 " 100.00 "

4-5 ft. " 2.00 " 17.50 " 150.00 "

5-6 ft. " 4.00 " 35.00 " 325.00 "

***Viburnum dentatum*, ARROWWOOD**

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$6.50 ten \$60.00 hundred

3-4 ft. " 1.00 " 9.00 " 75.00 "

4-5 ft. " 1.50 " 12.50 " 110.00 "

5-6 ft. " 2.00 " 17.50 " 150.00 "

6-7 ft. " 3.00 " 27.50 " 250.00 "

***Viburnum dilatum*, LINDEN VIBURNUM**

2-3 ft. high \$1.00 each

***Viburnum opulus*, EUROPEAN CRANBERRYBUSH**

1 ft. high \$.50 each

***Viburnum tomentosum plicatum*, JAPANESE SNOW-BALL**

2 ft. high \$1.00 each

***Weigelia rosea*, PINK WEIGELIA**

1½-2 ft. high \$.60 each

***Xanthoriza apiifolia*, YELLOWROOT**

1-1½ ft. high \$.50 each \$45.00 hundred

VINES

***Actinidia arguta*, BOWER ACTINIDIA**

1 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

***Ampelopsis quinquefolia*, VIRGINIA CREEPER**

2-3 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

***Ampelopsis tricuspidata veitchi*, JAPANESE IVY**

\$1.00 each

***Celastrus scandens*, AMERICAN BITTERSWEET**

2 ft. high \$.75 each \$7.00 ten

***Clematis paniculata*, SWEET AUTUMN CLEMATIS**

\$.75 each \$7.00 ten

***Lonicera japonica*, HALL JAPANESE HONEYSUCKLE**

1 ft. high \$.50 each \$4.50 ten

***Wisteria sinensis*, CHINESE WISTERIA (blue)**

2 ft. high \$1.00 each



Vines are nature's lace. They decorate the thicket, fence, bank, hillside and brookside. You can add vines where there is not room for a tree or shrub



Amy Green

The Lilac hedge and Father Hugo's Rose in the garden of Mrs. Robert Bacon, Westbury, L. I. Through the arch you can look into the picking or reserve garden
Father Hugo's Rose is the only one that blooms with the lilacs

RARE AND UNUSUAL PLANTS



THIS is a hobby that will keep you out of doors and add distinction to your grounds. Once you have discarded a few old plants to give room for new, you will be keener than ever about new plants, and then you should subscribe to the Bulletin of Information of

the Arnold Arboretum in Jamaica Plains, Mass. We grow many new and unusual plants and experiment with others. If you are trying to get any particular one and are having difficulties, write to us. If we have not got it we will try to put you in touch with some one that has.

Azalea japonica, JAPANESE AZALEA
1 ft. high \$3.00 each

Azalea Louisa Hunnewell, LOUISA HUNNEWELL
AZALEA (seedlings)
1-1½ ft. high \$5.00 each

Azalea Mollis, CHINESE AZALEA
1 ft. high \$3.50 each

Azalea mucronulata, MONGOLIAN AZALEA
1-1½ ft. high \$3.00 each

Berberis gagnepaini, BLACK BARBERRY
\$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Berberis pruinosa
\$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Berberis stenophylla, ROSEMARY BARBERRY
\$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Berberis triacanthophora, THREE SPINE BARBERRY
\$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Berberis verruculosa, WARTY BARBERRY
\$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Cotoneaster adpressa, CREEPING COTONEASTER
3-4 in. high \$1.50 each \$12.50 ten

Cotoneaster humifusa
2-4 in. high \$1.50 each \$12.50 ten

Cotoneaster microphylla wheeleri, ROCKSPRAY
3-4 in. high \$1.00 each \$9.00 ten

Cotoneaster rotundifolia, ROUND LEAF COTONEASTER
6-12 in. high \$1.50 each \$12.50 ten

Cotoneaster divaricata, SPREADING COTONEASTER
2-3 ft. high \$2.50 each \$22.50 ten

Cotoneaster foveolata
3-4 ft. high \$2.50 each \$22.50 ten

Cotoneaster simonsi, SIMONS COTONEASTER
3-4 ft. high \$1.00 each

Cotoneaster zabeli
2-3 ft. high \$2.50 each \$22.50 ten

Enkianthus campanulatus, REDVEIN ENKIANTHUS
2 ft. high \$1.50 each

Hamamelis vernalis, VERNAL WITCH-HAZEL
2-3 ft. high \$1.00 each

Philadelphus virginial, MOCKORANGE
1½-2 ft. high \$1.50 each

Potentilla fruticosa veitchi, VEITCH SHRUBBY CINQUEFOIL
1 ft. high \$1.00 each

Prunus tomentosa, NANKING CHERRY
2-3 ft. high \$1.00 each

Rosa hugonis, FATHER HUGO'S ROSE
2 yr. \$1.50 each

Sarcococca Hookeriana humilis
1 yr. \$1.50 each

Viburnum carlesi, DAPHNE VIBURNUM
1 yr. \$4.00 each



The Bacon Spring Garden, painting by Miss Amy Cross. The border is Moss Pink. The taller flowers are Iris, Columbine, Daffodil, Tulip. The yellow in the background is Fleabane or Doronicum. The red is Torch Azalea

HARDY GARDEN FLOWERS



Painted for Hicks Nurseries by Miss Winegar, showing her garden at Bronxville, N. Y. Miss Winegar's fall garden; between spring and summer these flowers have been waiting. Light blue is Aster; dark purple is the New England Aster; the orange is Sneeze Weed—Riverton Gem. The pink in the right foreground is Japanese Anemone

EVERY home garden needs hardy flowers both for color and fragrance. The following list gives only a few of the plants our perennial department can furnish. We have not room to list any more, but we have hundreds of them, and if you want a hardy flower border, give us dimensions and we will make one for you. Do not make the mistake of planting a narrow border. Make the border 8 feet wide

and plant plenty of a kind and you will have a real show of flowers and something in bloom all the season. Again we urge you to come to the Nursery and make personal selections. You will find many plants that are not listed here and a good many that you are not acquainted with and that you would like to have. This fall we are going to have a wonderful selection of Phlox. Be sure to come and see them in bloom.

Achillea ptarmica, **THE PEARL**

Whitebuttons all summer, sod of green, for borders.

Aconitum, **MONKSHOOD**

Tall purple in late autumn, rare.

Althea, **HOLLYHOCKS**

Stately plants growing up to six feet.

Anchusa, **DROPMORE BUGLOSS**

Wealth of blue in June and later.

Aquilegia, **COLUMBINE**

Favorites in the garden and woods.

ASTERS

Glorify the autumn landscape. Many new varieties and colors, with large flowers.

Boltonia

White asters liked for backgrounds and extensive naturalizing.

Unless otherwise noted prices are \$.35 each—\$3.00 for 10.



Japanese Iris at Hicks Nurseries. Come and pick them out in bloom, take them up with a shovelful of dirt. They pay you immediately and the clumps get bigger and bigger every year. To describe the colors is almost impossible—white, blue, pink and purple. You can make a sheet of color like this on your place, or along a stream or pond for the public benefit. From a painting by Mrs. Pennypacker

Campanula, **BELFLOWER**

Blue and white bells that are always decorative.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Plant in the spring and re-decorate your garden when they bloom in autumn.

Delphinium, **LARKSPUR**

Pale blue, deep blue and purple.

Dianthus barbatus, **SWEET WILLIAM**

Cheerful sweeps of pink for a small investment.

Dianthus deltoides, **MAIDEN PINK**

Good sod for dry banks.

Dianthus plumarius, **GRASS PINK**

Carnation-like, blue foliage.

Digitalis, **FOXGLOVE**

Purple, pink and white, three feet; plant hundreds in woodland borders.

ENGLISH DAISY

The children delight to make their own gardens with these.

Funkia, **HOSTA**

Plantain lily.

Gaillardia, **BLANKET FLOWER**

Wide flash of yellow, orange and bronze.

Hemerocallis, **DAYLILY**

Tall stems and yellow flowers.

Japanese, German, Siberica and dwarf, **IRIS**

\$.35 to \$.50 each

Select and plant in bloom.

MALLOW

Decorate the meadows with these. Gigantic, red flowers.

PAEONY

\$1.00—\$2.50 each

An old garden favorite.

Unless otherwise noted prices are \$.35 each—\$3.00 for 10.

PHLOX

\$.35 each. \$3.00 per 10.

Pink, salmon, white—all summer. Select in bloom.

***Platycodon*, BALLOON FLOWER**

White, blue. Campanula-like flowers.

PRIMROSE

For borders and naturalizing.

***Salvia Azurea*, AZUREA SAGE**

Blue, three feet, August.

***Sedum*, STONECROP**

In variety for rocks and sandy banks.

***Stokesia laevis*, STOKES ASTER**

Blue, all summer.

Sweeps of color that take care of themselves can be achieved by planting in your grounds with your knowledge, our knowledge of soil and exposure and our plants. It is a type of gardening that may become the best. You can start any time. It is not expensive.

ROSES

Everybody loves Roses, and the slogan of the American Rose Society, "A rose for every home," is a worthy ideal which Hicks Nurseries can help you to attain. We have an ample selection of the more desirable sorts. Hybrid Teas (the kind you buy from the greenhouse) and Hybrid Perpetuals (June Roses), also some miscellaneous varieties, at \$1.25 each; ten \$10.00.

Climbing Roses in great variety, for pergolas, arches, hedges and banks, at \$.75 each; ten \$7.00.

Unless otherwise noted prices are \$.35 each—\$3.00 for 10.

F R U I T S



EVEN the smallest place can have a Peach Tree, and most places can have Apple, Pear and Plum in addition. There is al-

ways room for small fruits, Grapes, Currants, Gooseberries, Blackberries, Raspberries. A few plants highly cultivated will produce more

fruit than most people imagine. Dwarf apples and Pears are best suited to a limited space. You will get more fun out of growing a few Apples, Pears or Peaches than anything else you know of. Unless you have plenty of room you cannot begin to compete with the large grower, but you do not get the satisfaction in store fruit that you do in growing your own. Peaches will

bear two years after planting. Dwarf Apples will bear sooner than standard ones, say three to five years after planting, while standard varieties require from five to ten years, depending on the variety. Pears and Cherries bear three to four years after planting. Fruit trees will not only give you something to eat, but will give you shade at the same time.



Japanese Plums are perfectly at home. They bear so heavily that it is frequently necessary to thin out the fruit and prop up the branches. When ripe the flavor is a pleasant mingling of sweet and acid

APPLES

2 yrs. (Standards)	\$1.00 each	\$9.00 ten
2 yrs. (Dwarf)	1.25 "	10.00 "
Time saving trees	\$5.00-\$75.00 each	

PEARS

2 yrs. (Standards)	\$1.50 each	\$15.00 ten
2 yrs. (Dwarf)	1.75 "	15.00 "

PLUMS

2 yrs.	\$1.50 each	\$12.50 ten
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CHERRIES

2 yrs.	\$1.75 each	\$15.00 ten
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PEACHES

4-5 ft. high	\$.75 each	\$6.00 ten
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QUINCES

3-4 ft. high	\$1.50 each
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GRAPES

2 yr. vines	\$.50 each	\$4.00 ten
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CURRENTS

2 yrs.	\$.50 each	\$4.00 ten
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GOOSEBERRIES

2 yrs.	\$.50 each	\$4.00 ten
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BLACKBERRIES

1 yr. roots	\$2.00 ten	\$12.00 hundred
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RASPBERRIES

1 yr. roots	\$2.00 ten	\$12.00 hundred
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ASPARAGUS

2 yr. roots	\$4.00 hundred
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RHUBARB ROOTS

\$.35 each	\$3.00 ten
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T R E E M O V I N G

GOOD tree moving depends on skilled and experienced men and the right equipment. Mr. Joseph Wickey, our original tree mover, has been with us 39 years, and has developed the best tree moving men in the country.

When we move a big tree for you, you will have saved twenty-five to seventy-five years of its life and have immediate results. You can build your house on a bare hillside and yet have a mature planting in a year.

If you are interested in moving large trees,

let us tell you whether or not the trees you have picked out are practical and we can help you to select the best trees and then give an estimate for the work. If it is not practical to move the trees without breaking considerably we won't move them. The deciduous trees can be moved in the Spring and Fall and even all winter in mild season. Evergreens can be moved all the year round.

When you want trees moved, come right to, headquarters—get the best in service, satisfaction and results.

HOW TO BUY TIME



Avenue of English Beeches planted at Englewood, N. J. in December. These trees are eighteen to twenty years old and will soon make a real vista from the house to the entrance



Probably the Largest European Linden ever moved; so big we had to ship it by water about 100 miles

At right—Planted on a private estate, saving 75 to 100 years growth. Olmsted Bros., Landscape Architects



Last year we shipped carloads to Missouri, Virginia, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Maryland and Western New York. With roots protected by balls of earth wrapped in burlap as below, these trees are guaranteed to live



Above—This picture shows our usual method of moving large single trees, on a platform with truck and trailer. A forty year old White Pine moved in early September
Left—Moving an Elm so large that it had to be skidded standing upright



Left—Large White Pines from our nursery gave the proper background to this mausoleum in Woodlawn Cemetery

Right — Planting for Alfred E. Mudge, Northport, L. I.



HOME LANDSCAPES BY HICKS



A cheerful planting even in winter. Evergreens work all the year around. A foundation planting of Japanese Yew and Red Cedar with lawn groups of Yew and Cotoneaster at Garden City, L. I.



An old-fashioned flower garden. There is one mistake: the walk is not wide enough



A group or grove of trees flanking the house on each end is better than just one on each end. Three or four trees will arch over and make a tall shady retreat, cooler and more comfortable than one large tree

Consult the landscape architect. Ask for a list of members of the American Society of Landscape Architects, or write the secretary, Mr. Bremer W. Pond, Tremont St., Boston, Mass.



"All of your staff with whom I came in contact have gone to great pains to please us. Taste, artistic sense, and a real love of your work characterize your service, and these qualities should be appreciated by all your clients as they are by this one."

Robert Gordon Anderson."

White Pine, fifty feet high, and smaller trees from our Nursery were used to screen this service end of the house. Olmsted Bros., Landscape Architects

At right—A flagstone walk to a woodland nook. Rhododendrons, Azaleas, Laurel, Leucothoe and Hemlocks are ideal here



